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1. FOLLOWING PROGRAM FOR MISS LILLIAN VISIT BANJUL JULY 24-26 APPROVED BY PRESIDENT JAWARA, ADVANCE PARTY, AND EMBASSY:

## 2. MONDAY, JULY 24:

ARRIVE 1500 HOURS AT YUNDUM AIRPORT. MISS LILLIAN WILL BE MET BY VICE PRESIDENT OR MINISTER EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, AND TRADITIONAL AFRICAN GREETING OF DANCERS, SINGERS, ETC. BRIEF REMARKS TO PRESS WILL BE MADE IN VIP RECEPTION HALL. PARTY WILL PROCEED BY MOTORCADE TO BANJUL, TRIP TAKING ABOUT 45 MINUTES. MOST OR ROUTE WILL BE LINED WITH GREETERS, DANCERS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MISS LILLIAN WILL MEET WITH PRESIDENT JAWARA AT 1615 IN STATE HOUSE, AND THEN PROCEED TO HER QUARTERS IN SAME BUILDING. APPROXIMATELY 10 MEMBERS OF HER PARTY WILL BE ACCOMMODATED AT STATE HOUSE AND ITS ANNEX (AND WILL ACCOMPANY MISS LILLIAN ON HER CALL WITH PRESIDENT JAWARA). REMAINDER WILL STAY AT NEARBY HOTEL.

PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION WILL BE HELD AT 1830 HOURS IN STATE HOUSE GARDEN, PRECEEDED BY MEETING ON LAWN WITH BANJUL-BASED PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS (DRESS: MEN, BUSINESS SUITS; WOMEN, LONG DRESSES). FOLLOWING CONCLUSION OF RECEPTION, AT 2000 HOURS, MISS LILLIAN WILL HAVE PRIVATE DINNER.

## 3. TUESDAY, JULY 25:

0800 MISS LILLIAN, ACCOMPANIED BY PRESIDENT JAWARA, DEPARTS FROM BANJUL ON PRESIDENTIAL YACHT, MANSA KILA BA, WHOLE PARTY WILL MAKE TRIP ON TOTAL 3 BOATS;

0900 VISIT AT JUFFURE TO SEE DEMONSRATION BY AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION AIDS FIELD UNIT (USAID-FUNDED), AND VISIT WITH ROOTS VILLAGERS;

1000 DEPART JUFFURE FOR FARA FENNI (ABOUT 100 MILES UP RIVER FROM BANJUL). LUNCH ON BOARD;

1300 ARRIVE FARA FENNI. MEET LOCALLY BASED PCV'S (ABOUT 10). VISIT WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS. OBSERVE DEMONSTRATION BY CROP PROTECTION UNIT (USAID-FUNDED). SEE WOMEN FARMERS IN RICE FIELD, AND GROUND NUT FIELDS. VISIT FRG-FUNDED RICE SWAMP DAM PROJECT.

1600 DEPART FARA FENNI. 2000 ARRIVE BANJUL, PRIVATE DINNER AT STATE HOUSE.

4. WEDNESDAY, JULY 26:

0800 DEPART FROM STATE HOUSE FOR YUNDUM AIRPORT. 0900 WHEELS UP FOR DAKAR. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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- 5. SEPTEL FOLLOWS WITH SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR ARRIVAL STATEMENT, AND SUGGESTED TEXT OF LETTER FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT JAWARA.
- 6. SEPTEL WILL FOLLOW FROM DAKAR RE PRESS AND ICA REQUIREMENTS, FOLLOWING CONSULTATION BETWEEN ADVANCE PARTY AND PAO/DAKAR.
- 7. EMBASSY REMINDS ALL ADDRESSEES THAT OUR FACILITY FOR HANDLING CLASSIFIED CABLES IN ALMOST NON-EXISTENT. THEREFORE ONLY UNCLASSIFIED MESSAGES WILL BE RECEIVED PROMPTLY IN BANJUL.
- 8. WILL PROVIDE NAMES AND BRIEF BIO DATA ON MAIN PEOPLE WHOM PARTY WILL MEET.
- 9. PLEASE ADVISE EMBASSY RE FUNDING ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONGRESSIONAL MEMBERS OF VISIT.
- 10. PRESIDENT JAWARA HAS KEEN PERSONAL INTEREST IN THIS VISIT, AND WE ARE ASSURED MISS LILLIAN WILL HAVE JOYOUS WELCOME FROM GAMBIANS.

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